

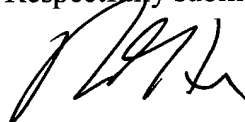
REMARKS

The specification and claims 1, 9, 19, 34, and 48 have been amended to insert information concerning a seed deposit. No new matter is added by the amendment.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, it is believed that the case is in condition for issuance and such action is respectfully requested. The Office is invited to contact the undersigned at (512) 536-3085 with any questions relating to the referenced patent application.

Respectfully submitted,



Robert E. Hanson
Reg. No. 42,628
Attorney for Applicants

FULBRIGHT & JAWORSKI, L.L.P.
600 Congress Ave., Ste. 1900
Austin, Texas 78701
(512) 474-5201

Date: August 31, 2004